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THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of

MAIL STOP RCE

Karl BOUTELET et al.

Group Art Unit: 1616

Application No.: 10/617,092

Examiner: SHELLEY A DODSON

Filing Date:

July 11, 2003

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Title: PHOTOPROTECTIVE/COSMETIC COMPOSITIONS COMPRISING SULFONIC/HYDROPHOBIC

AMPHIPHILIC POLYMERS

## REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

**MAIL STOP RCE** 

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Customer Number 21839

Sir	•										
	\$395		•	nt(s) requests continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and enclose the (1) \$790.00 (1801) fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e).							
1.	Z	A.		licant(s) requests that any previously unentered after final amendments <u>not</u> be entered.  Itinued examination is requested based on the enclosed documents identified in item 2 below.							
		В.		olicant(s) previously submitted the following documents for which continued examination is uested:							
				Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on							
				Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on							
				Other:							
2.	Th	A A I I A C D C	men offida oform Peti Other revice larifie	ng documents are enclosed with this submission: dment/Reply. vit(s)/Declaration(s). nation Disclosure Statement (IDS). ition for Extension of Time. Form PTO-1449 and copies of two (2) listed documents. Also, a further copy of applicants ous Request to Complete Notice of Allowance filed February 9, 2005 is enclosed because it es that the claims in this application are actually 1-78, not 1-74 as indicated in the Notice of ability.							

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3.		Small	entity	status	is hereby	claimed.
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No additional claim fee is required.

The fee is calculated below on the basis of the highest number of claims already paid for in this application prior to this submission:

CLAIMS							
	No. of Claims			Extra Claims		Rate	Fee
Examination Fee (1	801)						\$ 790.00
Total Claims	78	MINUS	78 =	0	×	\$50.00 (1202) =	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims	2	MINUS	3 =	0	×	\$200.00(1201) =	\$ 0.00
If multiple dependen	t claims are p	resented	, add \$	360.00 (1203)			
Total Fee							\$ 790.00
Small Entity Statu	ıs claimed - s	ubtract 50	0% of T	otal Application Fe	ee		\$ 0.00
TOTAL FEE DUE							\$ 790.00

4	×	A check in the amount of \$ 790.00 is enclosed for the fee due.
5.		Charge to Deposit Account No. 02-4800 for the fee due.
ô.		Charge to credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.
7.		Applicant(s) requests suspension of action by the Office until at least which does not exceed three months from the filing of this RCE, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c). The required fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) is enclosed.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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## REQUEST TO COMPLETE NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is requested that the Examiner complete the Notice of Allowance to correct the number of the claims allowed.

The Notice of Allowability should be corrected to indicate that the allowed claims are 1-78. The application was filed with Claims 1-78 and no claims were canceled during prosecution. The official filing receipt shows the filing of 78 claims. Further, the PAIRS system includes a copy of all of Claims 1-78 as originally filed. This error in the number of claims in the application was also pointed out in the response filed December 8, 2004. The claim count sheets in the PAIRS system are not consistent with the claims actually in the application.

It is requested that a corrected Notice of Allowability be issued, correcting the number of claims allowed.

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